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AND METHOD OF OPERATING THE  
SAME

Customer No.: 20350

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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action mailed January 11, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 5 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 8 of this paper.